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DPD 5286-59
5 August 1959

MEMORANDUM FOR: Assistant to the Secretary of Defense for
Special Operations

ATTENTION: Colonel Edward G. Lansdale

SUBJECT: Request for Support and Use of USAF
C-130 Aircraft

REFERENCE: A. DD/P Memorandum to General G. B.
Erskine; dated 31 March 1959;
subject: Request for Use of USAF
C-130 Aircraft

B. DPD 5054-59; dated 22 July 1959;
subject: Request for Support and Use
of USAF C-130 Aircraft

1. In connection with several overflight missions planned
September 1959 through May 1960, support is requested to provide a
C-130 aircraft for air resupply training for the period 21 through
24 August 1959. In that it is planned to use this type aircraft for
actual missions this Fall, it is desirable to have ground personnel
and agents now being trained at [   ], become   25X1
familiar with C-130 drop procedures and techniques. It is therefore
requested that a C-130 and crew be made available at Peterson Field,
Colorado, for the period 21 through 24 August 1959.

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2.   Detailed briefings can be arranged for you and your staff at your convenience by contacting Mr. [   ] this Agency, extension 3791. Detailed requirements for these operations will be submitted to Lt. Col. L. F. Prouty, AFXPD-PL-TB, Deputy Director for War Plans, Directorate of Plans, USAF.

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3.   Your assistance in this matter will be greatly appreciated.

FOR THE DEPUTY DIRECTOR (PLANS)

BY: _____
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